

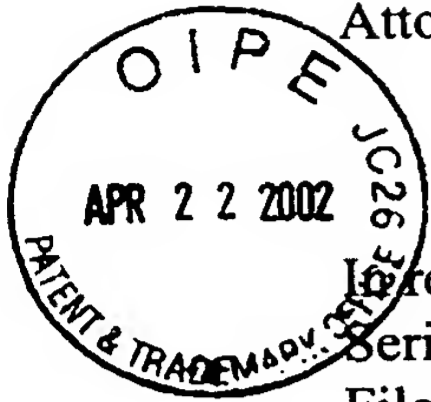
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In re: Caputo et al.

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For: *SYMMETRIC, MONOFUNCTIONALISED POLYMETHINE DYES LABELLING REAGENTS*

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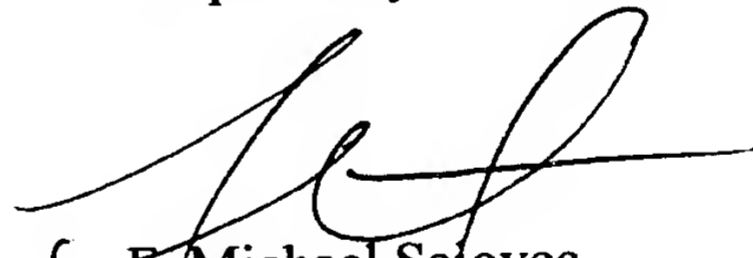
**SUBMITTAL OF CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.72(b)**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed February 12, 2002, attached is page 57 which includes the Abstract.

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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